

DRAFT USFS WQMP OUTLINE

CHAPTER	Section
Introduction	Objectives
	The Legal Basis for BMPs
	Relationship between State and USFS BMPs
	WQMP Chronology
	Authorities
	Related USFS Programs
	Policy
	BMPs in NEPA Analysis and the Interdisciplinary Approach
	BMPs as a Process
	Review of Nonpoint Sources of Pollution on NFS Lands
Purposes	??????
Statewide Administration Process for NPS Management Practices – Verifying Implementation	Introduction
	General
	National Environmental Policy Act Procedures
	Project Implementation
Statewide NPS Management Practices (and practice-specific implementation processes)	Timber Harvesting
	Road Design, Construction, Use, Maintenance, and Abandonment
	Off-Highway Vehicles
	Grazing
	Other
Verifying Management Practice Effectiveness – Monitoring	Objectives
	Program Management
	Monitoring Protocols
	Incentive-Based Approach
	Baseline Hillslope and In-Channel Monitoring
	Project-Level Monitoring for Projects in Watershed without Baseline Monitoring
	Reporting
Legacy Problem Remediation	Planning and Statewide Prioritization
	Management Practices and Administration
	Verifying Effectiveness - Monitoring
Impaired Water Body Segments	Statewide Prioritization of Recovery/Restoration Needs ²
	Alternatives to TMDL Development (Category 4B)
	Alternatives to TMDL Implementation Plans ²
	Implementing Recovery – Enhanced Management Practices & Administration
	Verifying Effectiveness – Enhanced Monitoring
Adaptive Management	Purpose and Partner Commitment to Collaboration
	Plan – Roles
	Plan – Identify Risks and Uncertainties
	Plan – Conceptual Model and Key Monitoring Questions
	Do – Implement the BMPs and WQMP
	Check - Implementation, Effectiveness, and Validation Monitoring Strategy
	ACT - Short Term Corrective Actions, Reporting, and Recommendations/
	Decisions for Programmatic Change
	Stakeholder and Public Consultation <i>(to be developed)</i>
	Information System <i>(to be developed)</i>
Needed Future Actions	Goals, Schedules and Milestones
Reporting	